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SUBJECT: FY 2010 Federal Employees Retirement System Allocation

Attached is a table indicating each State's final Federal Employees Retirement System (FERS) allocation for fiscal year (FY) 2010.

These funds are paid to States based on each State's relative share of the total payments to the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) in the last fiscal year.

As stated in the April 9, 2008, memorandum, "Update on NIFA Formula Policies and Procedures," NIFA transitioned to Grants.gov in FY 2008 for the submission of all administrative requirements via the SF-424 Mandatory Application Forms. NIFA will be soliciting for these applications via Formula Grant Opportunities (FGOs) which will provide instructions for the completion and submission of these forms. NIFA will notify eligible institutions when the instructions and forms are available on the Grants.gov site. Therefore, there are no reporting requirements at this time. Please note that this process will not change any current reporting processes such as the Plan of Work. The FGO will be released by April 30, 2010, and will only require the Form SF-424 Mandatory, NIFA Supplemental Information Form, and the SF-424 Key Contacts Form. No additional information will be requested as part of this application package.

Section 203 of the Agricultural Research, Extension, and Education Reform Act of 1998 (AREERA) (P.L. 105-185) amends section 3 of the Smith-Lever Act (7 U.S.C. 343) by requiring all funds authorized under section 3 (b) and (c) to be fully matched with non-Federal funds. This applies to all formula grant funds authorized under sections 3 (b) and (c) of the Smith-Lever Act, including FERS program. However, the funds used to match the retirement formula grant funds may be used for any extension activity approved as part of the Plan of Work.

A Planning and Reporting page has been established on our website to assist you in locating the requirements, due dates, and submission information for FERS funds and all other formula grant funds. The research and extension formulas are organized in groups for the three land-grant types: 1862 land-grant institutions, 1862 land-grant institutions in the U.S. territories, and 1890 land-grant institutions. Since funding continues to be contingent upon meeting planning and reporting requirements, you may want to have

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your administrative staff bookmark the following web link for easy access to fillable forms and due dates for all formula grant funds:

http://www.nifa.usda.gov/business/reporting/form_report.html

Additionally, we will continue to email you regarding important information regarding all of the formula grant funds you receive. This information is released in "Formula Funds Bulletins," which are maintained at our "Formula Funds News Updates" web page:

http://www.nifa.usda.gov/business/awards/formula/ff_updates.html

If you have any questions, please contact Brenda Barnett, Budget and Fiscal Specialist, Formula Grant Section, Awards Management Branch, Office of Extramural Programs at (202) 401-6520, or via electronic mail to bbarnett@nifa.usda.gov.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

FY 2010 Distribution of Funds to Eligible Institutions for
Federal Employees Retirement System (FERS)
(2010-41310)
Final

<u>State</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>OPM PAYMENT</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>	<u>ALLOCATION</u>
Alabama	Auburn University	\$ -	-	\$ -
Alabama	Tuskegee University	42,069	0.66%	17,477
Alaska	University of Alaska	-	-	-
Arizona	University of Arizona	173,171	2.73%	71,942
Arkansas	University of Arkansas	147,231	2.32%	61,165
California	University of California	14,357	0.23%	5,965
Colorado	Colorado State University	114,535	1.80%	47,582
Connecticut	University of Connecticut	-	-	-
Delaware	University of Delaware	-	-	-
Florida	University of Florida	-	-	-
Georgia	University of Georgia	-	-	-
Georgia	Fort Valley State University	-	-	-
Hawaii	University of Hawaii	-	-	-
Idaho	University of Idaho	127,454	2.01%	52,949
Illinois	University of Illinois	-	-	-
Indiana	Purdue University	-	-	-
Iowa	Iowa State University	474,647	7.48%	197,186
Kansas	Kansas State University	383,905	6.05%	159,489
Kentucky	University of Kentucky	195,597	3.08%	81,258
Kentucky	Kentucky State University	50,418	0.79%	20,946
Louisiana	Louisiana State University	-	-	-
Maine	University of Maine	57,537	0.91%	23,903
Maryland	University of Maryland	7,572	0.12%	3,146
Massachusetts	University of Massachusetts	-	-	-
Michigan	Michigan State University	-	-	-
Minnesota	University of Minnesota	1,015,628	16.00%	421,930
Mississippi	Mississippi State University	50,162	0.79%	20,839
Mississippi	Alcorn State University	-	-	-
Missouri	University of Missouri	157,624	2.48%	65,483
Missouri	Lincoln University	-	-	-
Montana	Montana State University	52,424	0.83%	21,779
Nebraska	University of Nebraska	-	-	-
Nevada	University of Nevada	68,966	1.09%	28,651
New Hampshire	University of New Hampshire	-	-	-
New Jersey	Rutgers University	66,736	1.05%	27,725
New Mexico	New Mexico State University	152,100	2.40%	63,188
New York	Cornell University	816,571	12.86%	339,234
North Carolina	North Carolina State University	86,567	1.36%	35,953
North Carolina	North Carolina A & T State University	-	-	-
North Dakota	North Dakota State University	86,671	1.37%	36,006
Ohio	Ohio State University	-	-	-
Oklahoma	Oklahoma State University	148,584	2.34%	61,727
Oklahoma	Langston University	-	-	-
Oregon	Oregon State University	284,802	4.49%	118,317
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania State University	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	University of Puerto Rico	4,359	0.07%	1,811
Rhode Island	University of Rhode Island	-	-	-
South Carolina	Clemson University	55,253	0.87%	22,954
South Carolina	South Carolina State University	-	-	-
South Dakota	South Dakota State University	12,265	0.19%	5,095
Tennessee	University of Tennessee	972,464	15.32%	403,998
Tennessee	Tennessee State University	-	-	-
Texas	Texas A & M University	-	-	-
Texas	Prairie View A & M University	-	-	-
Utah	Utah State University	69,351	1.09%	28,811
Vermont	University of Vermont	128,253	2.02%	53,281
Virginia	Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University	115,693	1.82%	48,063
Washington	Washington State University	173,549	2.73%	72,099
West Virginia	West Virginia University	21,541	0.34%	8,949
Wisconsin	University of Wisconsin	21,354	0.34%	8,871
Wyoming	University of Wyoming	-	-	-
TOTAL		\$ 6,349,411	100.00%	\$ 2,637,782

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for Federal Employees Retirement System (FERS)
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Appendix A - Final

<u>State</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Grant Number</u>	<u>FY 2010 ALLOCATION</u>	<u>100% Matching Requirement</u>
Alabama	Tuskegee University	2010-41310-08902	17,477	17,477
Arizona	University of Arizona	2010-41310-00300	71,942	71,942
Arkansas	University of Arkansas	2010-41310-00400	61,165	61,165
California	University of California	2010-41310-00500	5,965	5,965
Colorado	Colorado State University	2010-41310-00600	47,582	47,582
Idaho	University of Idaho	2010-41310-01200	52,949	52,949
Iowa	Iowa State University	2010-41310-01300	197,186	197,186
Kansas	Kansas State University	2010-41310-01600	159,489	159,489
Kentucky	University of Kentucky	2010-41310-01700	81,258	81,258
Kentucky	Kentucky State University	2010-41310-08907	20,946	20,946
Maine	University of Maine	2010-41310-01900	23,903	23,903
Maryland	University of Maryland	2010-41310-02000	3,146	3,146
Minnesota	University of Minnesota	2010-41310-02300	421,930	421,930
Mississippi	Mississippi State University	2010-41310-02400	20,839	20,839
Missouri	University of Missouri	2010-41310-02500	65,483	65,483
Montana	Montana State University	2010-41310-02600	21,779	21,779
Nevada	University of Nevada	2010-41310-02800	28,651	28,651
New Jersey	Rutgers University	2010-41310-03000	27,725	27,725
New Mexico	New Mexico State University	2010-41310-03100	63,188	63,188
New York	Cornell University	2010-41310-03200	339,234	339,234
North Carolina	North Carolina State University	2010-41310-03300	35,963	35,963
North Dakota	North Dakota State University	2010-41310-03400	36,006	36,006
Oklahoma	Oklahoma State University	2010-41310-03600	61,727	61,727
Oregon	Oregon State University	2010-41310-03700	118,317	118,317
Puerto Rico	University of Puerto Rico	2010-41310-03900	1,811	1,811
South Carolina	Clemson University	2010-41310-04100	22,954	22,954
South Dakota	South Dakota State University	2010-41310-04200	5,095	5,095
Tennessee	University of Tennessee	2010-41310-04300	403,998	403,998
Utah	Utah State University	2010-41310-04500	28,811	28,811
Vermont	University of Vermont	2010-41310-04600	53,281	53,281
Virginia	Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University	2010-41310-04700	48,063	48,063
Washington	Washington State University	2010-41310-04800	72,099	72,099
West Virginia	West Virginia University	2010-41310-04900	8,949	8,949
Wisconsin	University of Wisconsin	2010-41310-05000	8,871	8,871
TOTAL			2,637,782	2,637,782